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## INGRAM HELD TO GRAND JURY, WHILE COUNTY OFFICERS GO OUT TO ARREST THREE MEN CHARGED WITH SUBORNATION

Dr. Kirk Went With Ingram  
to Make Affidavit.

Denny Smith Heard Ingram  
Make His Confession.

He Had Made it to Captain  
Walker Month Before.

Clarence Dyer Was Not Pre-  
sent, So Judge Wells Says.

Prisoner Fails to Put Up Bond  
of \$500.

(By Perry Melton.)

Murray, Ky., Sept. 3.—Will Ingram is in jail, held to the grand jury under bond of \$500 on the charge of perjury, and county officers started this morning after Dr. Peter Kirk, Jasper Garland and Allen Weatherford, charged with subornation of perjury.

Ingram's preliminary examination was held this morning before Magistrate S. L. Holland. Ingram said that he was working in the bottoms cutting timber, being armed as usual, when Allen Weatherford and Jasper Garland approached him and compelled him to put down his gun. He said they told him that unless he published in the Murray Ledger the statement that his confession, in which he implicated Kelsie Kirk, Jasper Garland and others in the raid on Hendrick's place was false, they would kill him. That was Thursday night at the home of Dr. Peter Kirk and go into Murray the next day and make affidavit.

He said he did so, and riding into town Dr. Kirk told him what to swear to, and promised him that Kelsie Kirk nor any other night rider should injure him. He said Dr. Kirk told him to say that County Judge A. J. G. Wells and Clarence Dyer procured his confession under duress.

Attorney Randolph, who prepared the affidavit, and E. N. Holland, the notary public before whom it was made, swore that Dr. Kirk called Randolph off to the side and told him Ingram wished to make an affidavit. Randolph said Kirk proceeded to tell him what Ingram would swear to and he suggested that they let Ingram tell it himself.

Clarence Dyer is an important witness for the state, and County Judge Wells swore that Dyer was not present when Ingram made his affidavit of confession, but that, Commonwealth's Attorney Denny Smith was.

Both Judge Wells and Captain Henderson swore that Ingram had made the same confession in detail to Captain Walker, of the state militia, at Otter Pond.

Jasper Garland and Allen Weatherford were brought in this afternoon and Judge Wells fixed their bonds at \$1,000 each. They probably will make bond at once. Dr. Peter Kirk was not at home, but may come in when he learns he is wanted.

**Rules for Public Safety.**  
The mayor has issued a proclamation, setting forth rules for public safety. Heretofore it has been customary to shoot guns in case of fire, but citizens think of night riders, when they hear the fusillade, and remain at home, crippling the efforts of the volunteer firemen. Hereafter blowing whistles and ringing bells will be the signal, accompanied by loud cries of fire.

The mayor says when citizens hear firing they may know night riders and soldiers are engaged in battle, and remain at home. He suggests that citizens fire from their homes, only taking care to distinguish night riders from citizens and soldiers.

**Revenue Stamps.**  
Stamp Deputy L. L. Bebout reports internal revenue collections for August as follows: Amount taken in, \$9,044.79; stamps issued, 290.

**JUDGE BIRKHEAD STEPS DOWN.**  
Decides to Vacate Bench in the Parrish Case.

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 3.—Prosecuting Attorney Ringo and County Attorney Fann agreed with Judge Birkhead that if he did not vacate the bench because of the affidavit filed in the Parrish case, it would be reversed and the judge decided to vacate.

Two lawyers this afternoon selected Judge John S. O. Kelly, of Bardonia, to sit in the case.

## SCHOOL OPENING TAKES UP TIME OF SUPERINTENDENT

At this time of the year Superintendent J. A. Carnagey has found that it is difficult to get competent male teachers for the public schools. For the vacancy in the High school caused by the resignation of Prof. C. O. Peratt, no successor has been secured. Superintendent Carnagey received a telegram from one teacher saying that he would accept the place for \$80 a month, but the board had authorized a salary of only \$75 a month, and the teacher must be a college graduate. Professor Peratt, who taught last year, has accepted a position in the Nicholasville High school at a good increase in salary. Prof. C. H. Khrive, formerly teacher in science, has accepted a position in the Dubuque (Ia.), High school with a handsome increase in salary. Professor Carnagey has corresponded with several teachers' employment agencies, but all the mail applicants have secured positions. Several women teachers have applied for the position, but the school board wants a man to have charge of the boys and some of the women applicants are not qualified to fill the place.

Many children are applying to Superintendent Carnagey for entrance cards and he wishes all parents who are entering young children to go to the office before the opening of school which will be September 14. Prof. Carnagey is at his office every morning from 8 until 12 o'clock and will issue the cards. All applicants must have been vaccinated successfully. There will be many new children to enter, and it is doubtful if there will be any decrease in the number of pupils.

Few of the regular teachers have begun to arrive yet to resume their work in the school. For fear that some will overlook the physical examination, Superintendent Carnagey is mailing post cards for them to be here in time to be examined.

## Bryan Club Branch

The branch of the Bryan club will be organized formally tonight at the corner of Short and Clements streets in Mechanicsburg. Hon. John K. Hendrick will be the speaker of the evening, and the speaking feast will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Police Judge D. A. Cross, County Attorney Alben Barkley and Councilman R. J. Wilson have arranged an interesting program.

## Gardner Held

Murray, Ky., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Ed Gardner, colored, was held to the grand jury today under bond of \$800 on the charge of stealing the grip of Conductor Charles Lee Hunt, of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad, at the station here. The case was worked up by Detective T. J. Moore, of Paducah, the evidence was convincing. Gardner went to jail in default of bond.

## Home Made Aeroplane

Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 3.—John Buckhart, of Portland, Ore., and Oscar Trodich, of Indianapolis, students of Cornell, called a home-made aeroplane, two miles without difficulty. They rose to a height of 50 feet and exceeded 40 miles an hour. They sailed a mile and returned. The test was successful and they expect to make changes to greatly improve the machine.

## WEATHER.



## FAIR.

Generally fair tonight and Friday with temperature. Highest temperature yesterday, 86; lowest today, 63.

"Yes, sir, I have been compelled to see snuff, all the way from dollars to 35 cents, taken from bums, and I have accepted some of it and spent it. I had to or he laughed at. If I have to stand such things, I don't want to stay on the police force."—STATEMENT OF PATROLMAN J. R. BRYANT BEFORE BOARD OF POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

## Patrolmen Bryant and Roush Are Dropped From Police Force This Morning on Charges of the Chief

Man on Duty at Union Station  
Relieves Paducahan of His  
Revolver—Bryant Makes  
Startling Confession.

On charges of neglect of duty, Patrolman John Bryant and Jake Roush were dismissed from the police department this morning by the board of fire and police commissioners. It is said that Bryant made a confession, and said that he had been a party to holding up people and dividing the money. The charge which resulted in the dismissal was brought up by the patrolmen taking a pistol from two young men at the Union station Sunday night. One was a traveling man from Mayfield. Bryant admitted that he took a pistol from the young man.

Sunday night two young men and two girls were sitting across the track from the Union station waiting for the early morning train that went to Mayfield. Patrolmen Bryant and Roush met all trains at the station, and they went across the tracks near the curve. Patrolman Bryant, it is said, made the statement that the man had the gun concealed and that he confiscated it, while he claimed his partner, Jake Roush, said he would take \$5. The witness denied that he had the pistol concealed, and Patrolman Roush denied that he received any money. Also the man denied that he gave the policeman any money. After the men were laid off, Patrolman Bryant turned the pistol over to Chief Collins. They were suspended from duty last night and Chief Collins called for a meeting of the commissioners this morning at 9 o'clock. After the evidence the commissioners decided to release both men from the department for neglect of duty.

Patrolman Bryant was seen this morning, and he recited the story of running upon the men and girls, and said he took the pistol from the man, but he believed that the gun was not concealed. For an officer of the law not to arrest a man or swear out a warrant against a person carrying a pistol concealed, the state statute provides a fine of \$100 and the dismissal from duty.

## Little Nolan Story

Nolan Story, 3 years old, died this morning at 7:30 o'clock at Riverside hospital of diphtheria. Nolan Story is the son of Mrs. Maggie Story, of 909 Jarrett street, Mechanicsburg. He was taken to the hospital yesterday and died this morning. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at Iola, Marshall county.

## BOARDWALK MYSTERY IS CLEARED UP BY ANTE-MORTEM STATEMENT OF VICTIM

Guilty Person is Under Surveillance of the Police.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 3.—The assailant of Charles Roberts is known and has been known since the night the Baltimore banker and clubman was shot down on the board walk while in company with Mrs. W. G. S. Williams, of that city. The person who identified his would-be slayer was Roberts himself in an ante-mortem statement. The revolver with which the shooting was done has been located. The man who shot Roberts is technically under arrest.

Before making his statement Mr. Roberts exacted a pledge from the hospital physicians and detectives representing the police department that no action would be taken in the event of his recovery.

Howard Lewis, a negro chair pusher, said: "Jackson told me that while he was wheeling Mrs. Williams and Mr. Roberts up the board walk they were followed a short distance by a man and a woman. Then the man approached the chair and spoke to Mr. Roberts and the latter got out. Mr. Roberts and the man walked behind Jackson and the woman followed a few paces back."

Then Mr. Roberts left the man and got back in the chair with Mrs. Williams. The man followed, and, reaching inside the chair, got Mr. Roberts by the coat collar and yanked him out of the chair.  
"Mr. Roberts, in his anger, desperately attacked the man with his fists," Jackson said.

## LA POLLETTE WILL FIGHT WINNER OF PARTY'S PRIMARY

Charge is Made That Stephen-  
son's Election Cost Him  
a Half Million.

Hearst Charges Bryan With  
Gross Inconsistency.

## A LIGHTNING CHANGE ARTIST

Milwaukee, Sept. 3.—Although Stephenson won the Republican senatorial nomination by 6,000, it is probable the legislature will investigate how he spent the campaign funds and may prevent his election. McGovern and Patton, who were defeated, charge that Stephenson spent nearly a half million. LaPollette is anxious to unseat Stephenson and is backing the charges.

## Hearst Roasts Bryan.

New York, Sept. 3.—Hearst is starting to Indianapolis to open his independence campaign. He roasted the Bryan Democrats. He left the party because he became dizzy trying to follow the lightning changes of the leader's policies. He said Bryan one minute charges the Republicans stole his ideas, and the next moment says the Republican administration caused the panic. "If Bryan's imitators accomplish this with his ideas, I ask the public what the original could do with full powers of administration?"

## Going for Maine.

Chicago, Sept. 3.—It is announced the Democrats will make a sweeping campaign in Maine until the state election September 14, in the hope of making a better showing than in Vermont. Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, has started to Maine and other spellbinders will follow.

## Dahlman Will Fight.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 3.—Mayor Dahlman, who apparently was defeated for the Democratic nomination for governor, announced that he will contest Shallenberger's victory in the courts. Only half the returns indicate that Shallenberger has a safe plurality. Shallenberger ran on both the Democratic and Populist tickets, which Dahlman declares illegal.

## Chum of "Huck Finn" is Dead.

Hannibal, Mo., Sept. 3.—Judge Bacon, chum of the original "Huck Finn," made famous by Mark Twain, died here yesterday. He was a member of "Tom Sawyer's gang."

## Heddin Scores

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—An injunction, restraining J. W. Reddin, superintendent of public printing, to remain in force until the case can be heard on its merits is the decision of Judge Stout.

## Temperance Rally

The temperance rally at the Chattanooga auditorium at Wallace park was well attended today as representatives from the county and city responded. A strong address on "Problems of the Liquor Traffic" was delivered this morning by Mr. J. W. West, superintendent of the Kentucky Anti-Saloon league. This afternoon Mrs. Nannie Curtis responded with a fine address on the general principles of temperance. All of the members enjoyed dinner at the park, and a pleasant day was spent. This evening at the Broadway Methodist church, both speakers will give addresses on the temperance movement.

## Big Society Event

London, Sept. 3.—Mrs. Marshall Fields, of Chicago, married Melvin A. Drummond, second son of the late Edgar Drummond, of Cadland. They tried to keep the wedding secret. Craig Wadsworth, of the American embassy, and the duke of Westminster, and Mrs. Fields' sons were the only witnesses. The marriage disappointed King Edward, who tried to arrange the marriage of Mrs. Field to Prince Francis, of Teck, because of her large dowry. The woman's first husband shot himself while cleaning a gun at Chicago three years ago.

## School Board Vacancies

As the general election will be held in November, the members of the school board will not select any men to fill the vacancies in the board caused by the resignations of Trustees J. C. Farley and H. C. Morris. Should two trustees be selected they would only serve one regular meeting, and taking the oath of office would be more trouble than that.

## UNKNOWN VESSEL GOES ON ROCK AT POINT ARENAS, CAL.

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—An unknown ship was pounded to pieces off Point Arenas Rocks, a hundred miles north of here. It is believed every soul perished. She struck during the night in a heavy fog. The lighthouse keeper heard no cries and found much wreckage. The cutter Manning started in search. It may be the steamer Kiburn, due at Astoria.

## Chicago Market.

	Sept.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	98 3/4	97	95 3/4	95 3/4
Corn	79 3/4	79	79 1/4	79 1/4
Oats	50 3/4	50 1/4	50 1/4	50 1/4
Provisions	14.95	14.80	14.80	14.80

## MISTAKES HIS WIFE FOR NIGHT RIDER AND KILLS HER WITH HIS REVOLVER

Calloway County Man Shoots at Form of  
His Wife as She Appears in Doorway  
of Kitchen at Their Home.

TRAGEDY ENACTED AT NIGHT ON BANKS OF THE  
TENNESSEE RIVER WITH NO KNOWN WITNESSES.

John Franklin Dalton and Bride of Month Hunting Disturber  
of Their Rest When Terrible Casualty Occurs.

Murray, Ky., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Mistaking her for a night rider, John Franklin Dalton, a mill man residing on the Tennessee river in Calloway county, shot and killed his wife the night of September 1.

The couple, who were married a month ago at Princeton, recently moved here from Repton, and they probably were being investigated, as newcomers usually are in the night rider section, that night. They heard growlers about the premises and both got up to investigate. Mr. Dalton had his revolver, a 32-caliber gun. A search of the house revealed no intruder, but footprints of some one running were heard in the yard when a light was struck. Mr. Dalton told his wife to go back to bed and he went into the yard.

He supposed Mrs. Dalton had done as he said, but she evidently feared for the safety of her husband, for she stepped out the back door just as her husband reached a shadow at the side of the house.

## SEVENTH SPLITS AND KIMBALL MEN BOLT CONVENTION

## Lexington, Sept. 3. (Special.)—At

the Seventh Democratic congressional district convention the Kimball men bolted and two conventions are being held, one by the Campbell, Cantrill crowd and the other by the Kimball crowd.

Kimball refused the bolters' nomination and Cantrill was nominated.

## Nevada Democrats.

Tonopah, Nev., Sept. 3.—The Nevada Democrat state convention today nominated Francis G. Newlands for United States senator and George A. Bartlett for congressman from his state.

## Chief Will Attend

Chief of Police James Collins and Sheriff Ogilvie and his deputies have received invitations to a meeting of peace officers in Louisville September 14. The meeting will be in connection with the state fair, and with the added attraction will be attended largely. Chief Collins will attend.

## Stewart Funeral

St. Louis, Sept. 3.—The funeral of General Stewart was held this afternoon. Dr. Russell, of Pittsburgh, conducted the services at the home of A. C. Stewart. Confederate veterans, Sons of Veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy attended. The veterans conducted the ritual at Bellefontaine cemetery. Memorial services in Stewart's honor were held at Marshall, Mo.

## She Was in Jail

Patrolmen Charles Clark and Gilliam arrested Ida Morris and Harry Kennedy last night near Twelfth and Jefferson streets on a charge of immorality. In police court this morning they were fined \$20 and costs upon confession. It was stated that the Morris woman was left in the jail, and escaped while the warrant was being issued, but City Jailer Wade Brown took charge of her and she was in a cell all last night. Both were in court this morning, and Ida Morris will escape when her fine is paid.

## POPE EXPRESSES BELIEF THAT HE WON'T LIVE LONG

Rome, Sept. 3.—The pope received Bishop Burke, of Albany, N. Y., and expressed the fear that he won't live long. He said the Vatican confines long, church burdens and an unquenchable desire to return to Venice are more than he can bear. He praised America and said if the nation...

## EAST ORGANIZED.

Vice-Chairman and Committee Heads Named.

New York, Sept. 3.—The organization of the eastern department of the Democratic national committee was completed today. National Chairman Norman E. Mack officially announced that Committeeman Robert S. Hendepah, of New Jersey, had been chosen vice-chairman of the committee.

Mistaking her for the intruder, he fired point blank, and she sank with a groan.

Mrs. Dalton has stepped warily out, glancing from side to side, and the bullet crashed into the base of her brain. She died almost instantly. It was daylight before the distracted husband secured help. The coroner's jury exonerated him, finding the shooting an accident. The funeral was today.

Mr. Dalton is a prosperous mill man about 40 years old. Mrs. Dalton was the sister of Captain Peck, the well known towboat man of Paducah.

## Burns Whips Lang.

Melbourne, Sept. 3.—Tommy Burns, American heavyweight pugilist, defeated "Bill" Lang, of Australia, in the sixth round.

## Brother of Assassin.

Sharon, Pa., Sept. 3.—John Czolgosz, a brother of President McKinley's assassin, was today sentenced to the workhouse for three months. The police claim that Czolgosz is insane and his case will be investigated.

## Aeronaut Killed.

Waterville, Maine, Sept. 3.—Chas. O. Jones, of Hammondport, N. Y., operator of an airship at the fair grounds, fell 500 feet and died of his injuries. The accident was caused by a collapse of the airship.

## Republicans Adjourn.

All of the delegates to the Republican campaign committee of the First congressional district returned home last night after an enthusiastic meeting yesterday at the Palmer House. The members discussed the plan of action and talked over the situation which seems rosy for the Republicans. The meeting was a success in every way, and harmony prevailed throughout.

## New Comet Discovered.

Lake Geneva, Wis., Sept. 3.—Director Ed Frost, of the Yerkes Observatory announced the discovery of a new comet through photographic observations made by Professor Morehouse, of Drake University, at Des Moines. The presence of the comet was revealed upon the development of three photographic plates exposed in three cameras last night. It is clearly defined, and has tails several leagues long.

## Teddy Roosevelt.

"Teddy" Roosevelt was in Paducah today. Not President "Teddy," but J. A. Roosevelt, of Chicago. Mr. Roosevelt is a representative of a stationery house, and is in Paducah on a business trip. He is a distant relative of President Roosevelt, and a great admirer of him, but "Teddy" is only a name he is known by among his friends. Mr. Roosevelt is a man of good size, and as big hearted as the president himself.

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